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PETITION TO EXTEND TIME

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

GREY ET AL.

Application No.: 08/349,177

Filed: December 2, 1994

For: HLA-A2.1 BINDING PEPTIDES AND THEIR

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants petition the Assistant Commissioner of Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated November 9, 1998 for two months, from July 10, 1999 to September 10, 1999. An appropriate response in the form of an Amendment is enclosed herewith.

Please charge the fee of \$190.00 to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 20-1430. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to the above deposit account. This petition is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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